



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Fangrow et al.
Appl. No. : 09/879,364
Filed : June 12, 2001
For : MEDICAL VALVE WITH
POSITIVE FLOW
CHARACTERISTICS
Examiner : Kevin C. Sirmons
Group Art Unit : 3767

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE
ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 1, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 1, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks and the attached Terminal Disclaimer:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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